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TENDERS.

ADDRESSED TO HIS HONOR, the Lieu-
tenant-Governor N. W. T., and mark-
ed "Tender for Kesteven Bridge," will be
received until Noon of MONDAY, 13th
SEPTEMBER 1886, for the erection of a
**BRIDGE ACROSS THE QU'AP-
PELLE RIVER,**
on Sec. 27, Township 19, Range 12, West
2nd P. M.

Plans and Specification may be seen at the
office of the North-West Council, and at the
following Post Offices, viz: Wolsley, Sum-
merville, Kesteven, Kesteven and Ellsboro;
also at Messrs. Murray & Brooks' Store, In-
dian Head, on and after Friday, 3rd Sep-
tember.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily
accepted, but should one be chosen, the
party tendering will be required with two
responsible sureties to enter into a bond for
the due fulfillment of the contract.
The manner for the procuring will be
supplied; the contractor furnishing the rest
of the Apparatus.

By Order, **A. E. FORGET,** Secretary.
Lieutenant-Governor's Office,
Regina, 30th August, 1886.



Qu'Appelle Lodge, U. D.
G. R. M., A. F. & A. M.
Regular meeting on Tuesday evening,
7th inst., at 29 O'clock, (8 p. m.)
All brethren are invited.
Geo. B. MURPHY Sec.
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Public Notice.

BY THE TRUSTEES of the School District of
THISTLE Protestant Public School
District No. 32 of the Northwest Territories.
Whereas it is deemed expedient by the
Trustees of the said District of THISTLE
Protestant Public School District No. 32 of
the Northwest Territories, that the sum of
FOUR HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS
should be borrowed on the security of the
said School District, by the issue of Debentures
repayable to the bearer in Ten equal
annual instalments from the date of issue
thereof with interest at the rate of eight per
cent. per annum for the following purposes,
namely:
\$100.00 to build a School House.
\$75.00 to furnish same.
\$25.00 for outbuildings.
\$40.00 for incidental expenses.
Therefore notice is hereby given by the
Trustees of said School District that a Poll
will be opened by the undersigned Chair-
man of the said Trustees at the School
House, Section 6, Township 19, Range 8,
West of the second Principal Meridian, on
Saturday 14th September, 1886,
at the hour of Ten o'clock a. m. and will
continue open until Four o'clock p. m. of
the same day, when the votes of those duly
qualified to vote thereon, will be taken for
or against raising the said sum of FOUR
HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS by way
of a loan on the security of the said School
District as hereinbefore set forth.

The qualification of voters is expressed in
the following order, which persons desiring to
vote must take if required:
"I do solemnly swear that I am a
bona-fide resident taxpayer of Thistle Pro-
testant Public School District No. 32,
that I have paid the School Taxes
assessed against me on the last revised
assessment roll of the District, and of the
Municipality for the District; that I am of
the full age of twenty-one years; that I am
not an alien or unfranchised Indian;
that I have not voted before at this election
and that I have not received any reward
either directly or indirectly, nor have I any
hope of receiving any reward for voting at
this time and place. So help me God."

THOMAS ELLIS,
Chairman of Trustees,
JOHN EDDINGTON,
JAMES B. MOORE,
Trustees.
Dated this 20th day of August, 1886.

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PROGRESS Store.
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purses, album mouth organs, false
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BULGARIAN REVOLUTION.

Constantinople, Aug. 27.—M.
Nelikoff, the Russian ambassador
here, has informed his colleagues
here that in the event of serious
disorders in Bulgaria, Russia would,
with other powers, consider neces-
sary measures for interfering.

Reni, Aug. 27.—The Czar has
ordered that Prince Alexander be
forwarded to Kissenoff if he refuses
to accept abdication as an accom-
plished fact. Towns in Bulgaria
are lighted with flames, and there is
general rejoicing at the overthrow
of the rebels.

Nenna, Aug. 26.—The Czar has
permitted Prince Alexander to pro-
ceed to Germany by way of Odessa.
Sofia, Aug. 26.—A single regim-
ent of troops, with the assistance
of a number of military cadets, ac-
complished the work of deposing
Prince Alexander. Before proceed-
ing against the prince the revolution-
ists arrested the commander of
Prince Alexander's regiment at
Slivnitsa. The provisional govern-
ment, seeing the populace violently
loyal to the deposed prince, resigned
office and liberated the commander
who at once brought his regiment
from Slivnitsa and disarmed the
regiment which had assisted in de-
posing the prince. After this, the
commander placed under arrest the
political leaders who managed the
coup d'etat. The Powers have re-
cognized the government formed by
M. Karaveloff, with him as premier,
M. Stortoff as foreign minister, M.
Panoff as minister of war, and M.
Gueshoff as minister of finance.

The provisional government assured
the Porte that the movement in favor
of Prince Alexander was not inimi-
cal to Turkey, and asked the Porte
to reopen the railway between
Constantinople and Philippopolis.
The Standard's Berlin correspond-
ent says: "Emperor William, on
hearing of the seizure and kidnapping
of Alexander, wrote a sharp letter
to Czar, expressing amazement
and indignation. When the King
of Servia heard of the events at So-
fia, he said, 'It is the greatest piece
of infamy ever perpetrated in
Europe. If I knew where Alexan-
der was, I would sacrifice all I
possessed to render him assistance.'"
Lomburg, Aug. 27.—Prince
Alexander arrived here at two
o'clock this afternoon. He was re-
ceived at the depot by Count Mar-
shall Radol and Count Chaplain
Koch. The Prince, on appearing
at the window of the railway car-
riage, was given an ovation by
thousands of Germans and Poles.
The crowd escorted the Prince to a
carriage where a journalist deliv-
ered a short address of welcome,
concluding with the words, "Perish
the traitors." Then the people es-
corted him to his hotel. The town
is brilliantly illuminated to-night.
Alexander will proceed to Breslau
to-morrow.

Vienna, Aug. 27.—It is rumored
that Russia is making extensive
military and naval preparations,
and has ordered the movement of
the fleet towards the Roumanian
coast. It is also rumored that the
Berlin and Vienna courts are mak-
ing strenuous efforts through Prince
Alexander's father to dissuade
Alexander from returning to Bul-
garia. The Russian press demands
the immediate occupation of Bul-
garia.

Lomburg, Austria, Aug. 28.—
Prince Alexander leaves here today
for Bulgaria. He will go via
Giurgievo, Roumania, and expects to
reach Bulgarian territory by to-mor-
row. His brothers Francis and
Ludwig are with him, and will be
his travelling companions.

London, Aug. 30th.—Prince
Alexander arrived at Sistova, Bul-
garia, at 8 o'clock this morning.
His entry into the town and pro-
gress through it were one of con-
tinuous triumph. The Prince after-
wards started for Tirmova and ar-
rived there this evening.

The Bulgaria cabinet has been
remodeled and is now strongly Anti-
Russian. M. Machevich, the For-
eign Minister, was their leading
spirit in the movement to counteract
the Zankoff plot by which Prince
Alexander was forced to abdicate.
It is rumored that King Milan, of
Serbia, has expressed a desire to re-
new diplomatic and amicable rela-
tions with Bulgaria.

Rustchuk, Aug. 30.—A manifesto
has been issued by Prince Alexan-
der. It approves the measures
adopted by the Stamboulif regency,
confirms the existing ministry and
the appointment of Mutkounoff as
commander-in-chief of the army,
thinks the people and army for
their fidelity and resolute attitude
in favor of independence, implores
God's blessing, and urges all to
unite in promoting the welfare of
Bulgaria.

The populace of Tirmova gave
Prince Alexander an enthusiastic
welcome. Advices from Sofia say
that some disorder has occurred
there. M. Rankoff, the revolution-
ary leader, was attacked by mobs
and nearly killed. It is expected
that the military plotters will be
executed and that amnesty will be
granted to the other conspirators.

REGINA DISTRICT MEETING METHODIST CHURCH.

On Wednesday last at 9 a.m.,
the Regina District Meeting of
the Regina District was commenced
at Wolsley in the Presbyterian
Church. There was a full atten-
dance of the Ministers and nearly
all the lay representatives of the
circuit were present.

Rev. G. Daniels was Secretary
and Rev. A. Andrews, Chairman of
the Meeting.

At the opening session Mr. An-
drews reported on trip just made
by him to Prince Albert, Battleford,
Saskatoon and Fort Qu'Appelle.
Young men have been placed at
Prince Albert (Mr. H. Littlehales)
and Saskatoon (J. M. Wright).
The Meeting unanimously resolved
that in their judgement a young
man should be sent at once to Bat-
tleford. The Chairman was re-
quested to visit the P. M. Colony
as early as possible and decide on
the best place of ministerial supply
for that work this year.

The various missions were en-
thusiastically reported and applica-
tion for grants in each case were made
to the General Mission Board as fol-
lows: Regina, \$865; Wascana,
\$325; Qu'Appelle, \$700; Fort
Qu'Appelle, \$557; Wolsley, \$250;
Broadview, \$563; Crescent Lake,
\$324; Moose Jaw, \$750; P. M.
Colony, \$450; Saskatoon, \$200;
Prince Albert, \$456; Battleford,
\$300. These grants may be made
in full, but not unlikely will be
very materially lessened from
necessity.

MURDERED FOR MONEY

CALGARY, Aug. 25.—There was great
excitement here when it was discovered
that murder had been added to the
crime of stage robbery. Today Clunker
Scott was found murdered in his shack
near Shaggy-napi Point. The crime
is supposed to have been committed
by the same gang who held up the
Edmonton stage coach a few days ago.
There is no doubt the killing of Scott
was prompted by the expectation of
obtaining considerable money, as
the deceased was a man in good
circumstances and it is believed here
that he had considerable money with
him at the time of the murder. Scott
was a man about 35 years of age, and
was the discoverer of gold at Silver
City. He leaves a wife and one child
who were not with him at the time of
the murder, or so don't they would
have all shared the same fate. The
news spread like wild-fire throughout
the town and vicinity, and a hot par-
ent is now in progress. The feeling
is so intense at the man's lawlessness
recently developed in the Territories,
and the boldness of the Edmonton
stage robbery and this last crime,
that it is believed short work will be
made of the murderers if caught.

When the police were passing the
Sarcee camp of One Arm to make
arrests, a great noise attracted In-
spector Moodie's attention. He ordered
the Indians to leave town. A buck
rattled Moodie with a sword and Moodie
took it away and broke it over his knee
while in the tepee. That buck made
for him and in self-defence he shot
the Indian through the arm. Four
bottles of beer were found in the
Indian's shirt. Great credit is due
the police for the activity in regard to
the robbery.

Sir John A. Macdonald has ar-
rived in Ottawa.

A genuine wild buffalo, perhaps
the last of his race has been
astonishing and interesting the
people of the Souris country by
galloping over the prairie in the
shaggy grandeur of other days.

The Manitoba Liberal, the
Manitoba organ of the U. B. C. D.
E. F. G. of Regina has an editorial
paragraph saying that Sir John is
afraid to appoint a Commissioner to
enquire into the Indian Depart-
ment "lest the revelations should be
such as to arouse public indignation
against its administration." Here in
Regina where the whole Indian
question is well understood the
Editor wouldn't dare write such a thing.
—Leader

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Arrangements were also made
for the Annual Missionary Meeting
and Educational Services.

In the evening a District Mis-
sionary Meeting was held. Mr.
Shannon of Regina being Chairman
and Revs. G. Daniels and A. An-
drews addressed the meeting. The
audience was not large but mani-
fested an intense interest in the
subjects brought before them and
gave a free collection. On Thurs-
day meetings were held during the
day for the promotion of Holiness,
and in the evening a Sabbath
School convention. Rev. O. Darwin
being Chairman. Revs. A. Andrews
and W. C. Bunt of Moose Jaw, a
new man on the District delivered
addresses on "The art of questioning
and the object of Sabbath School
instruction." And the Rev. M. Hall
replied to the questions from the
drawer. The delegates passed
hearty votes of thanks to their hosts
and to the Trustees of the Church
and returned home with pleasant
memories of Wolsley.

The annual district meeting is to
be held in Qu'Appelle next May or
beginning of June.

PRESBYTERY OF REGINA.

This court of the Presbyterian
Church met on Tuesday at Qu'-
Appelle. There was a small atten-
dance. The Presbytery was con-
vened for the purpose of issuing a
call which had been forwarded to
the Rev. S. J. Taylor of Moosejaw,
from the congregation of New
Westminster, B.C. Mr. Taylor hav-
ing signified by letter his intention
to decline the call it was accordingly
set aside. A number of items of
Home Mission business occupied
the attention of the court during the
afternoon.

A British tea ship from Han-Kow
has foundered in the Chins Sea.

The Queen of Italy is endeavoring
to bring about a reconciliation between
the Italian Government and the Pope.

All the Chicago Socialist prison but
one have been sentenced to death.
A motion for a new trial will be made.

A French journal accuses the
Australian colonies of attempting to
establish a Monroe doctrine in
Australia.

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N. W. COUNCIL.

SESSION OF 1886.

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Session to open about the 13th October.

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ROADS AND BRIDGES.

We referred last week to an effort that was being made to obtain from His Honor, Lieutenant-Governor Dewdney, an appropriation on the roads and bridges in this district. It appears that the Dominion Government has placed at Mr. Dewdney's disposal a sum of money to be spent on the improvement of the public highways of the Territories. The intention was that the advice of the members of the Northwest Council should be taken on its appropriation at the next session. But our Mr. W. E. Jones conceived the idea that the money at least that this district was entitled to might be spent this fall when the settlers were most in need of an opportunity to earn something. Mr. Jones started the ball rolling by urging upon some of our leading townsmen to take immediate steps to obtain a grant. Accordingly an estimate was made of what was most needed, and the recommendations of Messrs. T. W. Jackson and W. D. Perley, Members for the Northwest Council for this district, were obtained for the sum of \$800 for needed improvements on the leading highways. The matter had been developed up to this stage on Wednesday last when it was learned that His Honor, Mr. Dewdney, was about to take a trip west for the benefit of his health, which has been somewhat impaired of late, owing to close application to the duties of his position. Messrs. A. M. McLane and G. S. Davidson thereupon drove to Regina, and while there obtained the recommendation of Messrs. Sevier and

Jelly, M.N.W.C.'s for Regina district, for an additional \$500 for the same purpose, making in all \$1300. The recommendations were laid before Mr. Dewdney, who granted the money. This money is from the Dominion fund entirely under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor. In addition to the above, the share of the territorial revenue belonging to Mr. T. W. Jackson, as Member of the Northwest Council, amounting to \$325, has also been appropriated on the trail between Qu'Appelle (station) and Fort Qu'Appelle. It was Mr. Jackson's intention if possible to have given this to the Agricultural Societies of Indian Head, Fort Qu'Appelle and Qu'Appelle, but this was contrary to the resolution of the Council appropriating the money; hence it will be expended on the above-mentioned trail. The money thus obtained for the district will relieve the farmers from a certain amount of taxation, and they will be benefited by its circulation.

"THE PROGRESS" NOMINATES MR. PERLEY.

The Wolsley correspondent of the Regina Leader says that Mr. W. D. Perley is "determined to run" for the House of Commons at the general Dominion election. Said correspondent is just a little out. It is the people that are determined to run Mr. Perley, and they are satisfied that he will be the right man to send to Ottawa. Since he has been talked of in that connection, we understand that he has been requested to become a candidate by many of the leading men of Eastern Assiniboia, and strong support has been offered him. His devotion to the interests of the constituency he represents in the Northwest Council is an indication of what might be expected of him if sent to the Dominion House. Though a Conservative in politics, his past public career has shown that he places country before party, and that the first consideration for which he would work would be the procuring of such legislation as would tend to promote the welfare of the settlers of the Northwest. He qualities that recommend Mr. Perley for the House of Commons are his personal independence of spirit, his Liberal Conservative leanings, his indefatigable energy and perseverance, and last, but not least, his political training in an Eastern Province, which gave him an experience that will be of great value in a representative.

Some thirsty soul like the editor of the Macleod Gazette, has started the report that "inside of six weeks permission will be given for the sale of light wine and beer in the Northwest Territories." This like many other reports about the intentions of the Government cannot be true for reasons which are well known. The first and sufficient reason is that there is no Act of Parliament which gives the power to grant such permission, and besides the Dominion Government would not commit so grave an error in the face of the temperance sentiment of eastern Canada. They would not provoke the hostility of prohibitionists on the eve of a general election. But apart from this, we believe the Dominion Government acts from a higher standpoint, believing that this is a question which the people must decide for themselves. Therefore the present law, though objectionable in some respects, will be continued until the provincial form of government is established in the territories. Then

the electors will vote whether they want license or no license, permits or no permits, and we have no hesitation in saying it will be "no license and no permits."

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

It is estimated that the cattle ranches of the Northwest will have 5,000 head of cattle for export this year and 10,000 next year.

Mr. F. H. Brydges, of the Manitoba and Northwestern Railway, says that the branch railway from Minnedosa to Rapid City will be in operation within two months. What about the Northwest Central?

It is stated that Lord Salisbury's Government intends to introduce at the spring session of the Imperial Parliament a measure giving local government to Ireland on the basis of the plan prepared by Lord Churhill.

The Globe says the prospected trade over the C. P. R. from Liverpool to Hong Kong is a vision. Yes, of course, the same kind of a vision as the C. P. R. was to the Globe when the Conservative party were perfecting arrangements for the construction of the road.

The Leeds and Grenville Independent asks if it is true that "inside of six weeks permission will be given to hotel-keepers in the Northwest Territories to sell beer and all kinds of light wines?" It is not true. There is no Act of Parliament authorizing the giving of such permission.—Mail.

Seven United States contemporaries: "It is an eye for an eye, a tooth for a tooth, a life for a life. There were seven policemen killed, and there will be seven anarchists hung at the first performance. The officers of the law in Chicago will have done so well when the first seven are swung off, the people of that city may insist on giving them an encore."

The Pioneer Assembly of the Order of Knights of Labor has assumed the publication of the Industrial News with Jim Hooper as editor. It is a live sheet published in the interest of the working classes, and should succeed. It is just now waging a war upon those penurious parties who send out of the province printing and other work that could be done just as well at home. If the advice of the News were taken, there would be a great improvement in home business. And what is applicable to Winnipeg, applies with equal force to other centres of population in Manitoba and the Northwest.

Mr. T. A. McKinnon, late general manager of the Southwestern railway, which is controlled by the Canadian Pacific, is the successor of Mr. John M. Egan, with headquarters in Winnipeg. Mr. McKinnon's rise in the railway world has been phenomenal. He began his railroad career in 1887 as a clerk in the Passumpsic road and quickly worked himself up. Before his transfer to his late position, some ten years ago, he was general passenger agent of the Canadian Central and Brockville & Ottawa roads, then largely controlled by Mr. Duncan McIntyre. To the latter's use, Mr. McKinnon's promotion is largely due. The eastern press speaks highly of Mr. McKinnon, and says he is likely to prove an able and popular official in his new position.

The Regina Leader has put into its printing office a new Wharfedale press, and Mr. C. J. Atkinson has purchased the old Moose Jaw News plant, lately used as a job printing office in Regina, and will start about October 1st, to publish a Grit paper in opposition to the Leader. The Calgary Tribune has also put in a power press. The Progress may be the next to import a power press, perhaps. The printers of the Territories are not discouraged yet.

THE CHIEFTAIN'S VISIT.

Sir John Macdonald has realized the great ambition of his life. He has pressed the almost impossible confines of Lake Superior and the rocks and lakes of the once disputed territory; he has gazed past the vision of golden and green alfalfa by hundreds of miles of fertile plains; he has beheld Nature's fiat set at naught in the Rockies and the Skiriks, and has finally stood on the shores of the Pacific, shouting across the water the Macedonian cry of "Come over and help us"—"to make business for our help." This trip he has been enabled to make more than once, stated in his addresses, to make upon the horizontal, and it is not therefore surprising that, with a level-headedness that is commonly attributed to him, he has been impressing upon the lumberman and the miner, the fisherman, the agriculturist and the ranchman and the fact that to himself and his government is principally, if not entirely due, the fact that the Canadian Pacific has been pushed through to completion, and if he has been accused with some degree of justice of egotism in this matter it will at least be admitted that he has considerable justification. He has fought a hard fight and has had to take his political life in his hands more than once to carry the project through. Differ as men may as to the desirability of the forest construction of the through route, as against a more lateral and gradual development, it is not to be denied that there is a general source of pride at the triumph of the enterprise, and a considerable measure of satisfaction in listening to the talk about the wealth of the Orient being laid at our feet. We do not suppose all the bright dreams will be realized, but even as the gloomy pessimism that declared the construction and operation of the road to be almost a physical impossibility has been laughed to scorn, so it is just possible that the arrival of tea-ship after tea-ship, and vessel after vessel filled with European and other stores, may show that the Canadian-Asiatic trade is a practical reality. In any event, most patriotic Canadians will prefer to hope for success rather than croak defeat. Providence, it is often said, helps those who help themselves. A country no more than an ordinary business concern, can progress without an effort on its own part to push trade. This is one of the strongest claims that Sir John Macdonald has to public regard—that he has had sublime faith in the resources and future of his country, and has sought to hasten the realization of both. A statesman would prefer to be accused of impetuosity in such pursuits, than be suspected of inability to seize opportunities when presented, because of want of confidence in himself as in his country.—Manitoba Sun (Independent).

Sir John Macdonald, during his addresses in this country, did not commit himself to the Hudson's Bay enterprise, so far as holding forth any expectation of further aid from the Dominion Government is concerned. He had plenty of good wishes, said he had already given plenty of land, but left it to be inferred that he had no cash for it. One good, however, is likely to result from his speeches, and that is he has stated his own belief in the practicability of the scheme and that it would yet be brought to a successful issue. This is a hint which some of the newspapers in the east that have been throwing cold water on the project would do well to take to heart.—Manitoba Sun.

The Calgary Herald mentions the names of Col. MacLeod, Col. Irvine G. Strang, Lord Boyle, J. R. Costigan, Alex. Begg and Frank Oliver as having been prominently put forward as candidates for Alberta electoral district for the Dominion Parliament.

Col. Ingersoll is going to Paris to have an operation performed on his throat. It is hoped the operation will be entirely successful, for the colonel's throat has long been a serious affliction—to the public.

Having been released from his Mexican dungeon cell, Mr. Cutting will now, of course, go on a lecturing tour through the United States. In fact it has been announced that he intends doing so. It is a poor sensation nowadays that does not produce a lecture field or a dime-museum curiosity.

According to the Reform prints Indian officials are thieves and scoundrels. Yet when the Indian instructor at Macleod sent in his resignation to the Piegans, to quote a local paper, "Erickel" vigorously against its acceptance and the appointment of some one else in the instructor's place. Either the Indians must like bad officials, or else the story of bad officials is untrue.

There have been important changes made in the composition of the Manitoba Government. The number of cabinet ministers has been increased from five to six by the creation of the new portfolio of Railway Commissioner. This position has been taken by the Hon. John Norquay, who gives up the Provincial Treasurer's portfolio to the Hon. Mr. La Riviere. The portfolio of Agriculture, Statistics and Health has been taken by Dr. Harrison, M. P. for Minnedosa, whose admission to the cabinet has long been expected. The Hon. Messrs. Brown and Wilson exchange folios, the latter becoming Minister of Public Works and the former Provincial Secretary. Mr. Hamilton remains Attorney General.

In yesterday's issue Hon. David Mills presented to the public, through these columns, an outline of the Reform expectations in the approaching Dominion elections. He is confident that the entire country is to be swept, but mainly on the Red cry. His party will, by his calculations, carry forty-five out of the sixty-five seats in the province of Quebec, and will not lose anything in the English-speaking provinces. We very much doubt if his expectations will be realized. Quebec is a thorough-going Conservative province, and but for the election in Chambly, to which too great importance has been attached there are no indications that there is any such intensity of feeling on the Red question as has been stated. There may be a few seats affected by it, but a revolution need scarcely be looked for. The outlook, however, will be best seen from the result of the provincial elections, now rapidly approaching. In any event, gains made in Quebec on the Red cry will be counterbalanced by losses elsewhere. The cry would have been of some substantial strength to the party had not efforts been made by many leading Reformers to elevate Red into the rank of a martyr. As Talmage would say, martyrs are not made out of that kind of stuff. Manitoba Sun.

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Alexander felt quite well off in the Palace at Sofia, when the Premier Karaveloff entered with his face alive. Saying, "Prince, do please to doff that crown—may, do not root, 'Tis the will of Rumanoff." "Rumanoff be blown!" cried Alex. "Keep your distance, Karaveloff!" drew his "top" and, in taking, said, "And among while you're well off, then the Premier gave a cough. Straightaway entered Stambulski. Also standoff and stood. Then poor Alex. let a self off. "Ah," said he, "it can't be hidden. 'That' fruits from me have fell off." "No," said he, "you'll come to Wladin."

Here came in bold Rumanoff, Mytaroff, Grescoff, Grouff. "Yes," the Prince growled, "I'll be gone off." Tiresome off the deposition: "Yes," the Prince growled, "I'll be gone off." Road-hack barely time edition, So do Shumli and Sotova. Bazarlik, too, and Baskova. Next, Furtuk, Rihova, Tordis, Naf and Hattova.

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THE GREAT UNCHAGAH.

BY GEO. E. ELLIOTT.

As the settlement of the North-
west Territory progresses, now and
again, one hears of the district of
Athabasca or as it is more familiarly
and acceptably known as the
"Peace River Country" and to the
Indian of the Northwest as the
"Great Unchagah."

Fifteen years ago as the Red
River settlement was far distant
from Toronto, then the centre of
Canadian civilization, so today is
Dunvegan, the Hudson's Bay Com-
pany's post on the Peace to Winni-
peg, the great metropolis of the
Canadian Northwest, Dunvegan
has a far away sound, but what fif-
teen years have accomplished in
the development of a scattered set-
tlement into a magnificent city, a
decade will bring about equally
marvellous changes in the far dis-
tant District of Athabasca.

Not a few books have already
been written by distinguished trav-
ellers who explored the Peace
many years ago, and in our own
time we have the narratives of
Capt. Butler who in his "Wild
North Land" blends fact and fancy
with the skill of an accomplished
writer, of Horetzky who's matter of
fact and positive in his description,
and Rev. Mr. Gordon who is enthu-
siastic and most entertaining in his
"Mountain and Prairie."

These writers describe what they
saw in the course of their travel
and exploration across the southern
portion of the District of Athabasca
to the tide water of the Pacific, and
they were undoubtedly painstaking
and industrious in making and re-
cording their observations en route.

The perusal of their books and
those of earlier writers has awak-
ened more than a passing curiosity
respecting the resources and capa-
bilities of the Peace River country
particularly and the district of Ath-
abasca generally. The sentiment of
curiosity which these writers have
aroused must soon be followed by
an advance of the main body of pio-
neers who will first locate them-
selves in that district before the
march of civilization itself begins to
wake up that far distant region.

Pick up a far west newspaper
and you read of small parties of
traders and others on their way to
the Peace. These are the begin-
nings of the first "low wash of waves"
of which the poet so eloquently
writes, and as there is now con-
siderable of a pioneer population in
the Northwest which is sighing for
new districts to invade, in another
year a steady and important wave
of pioneers will move on to the re-
markably fertile valley of the Peace
River.

The District of Athabasca is the
most Northwestern of the five pro-
visional districts comprising the
Canadian Northwest Territory. It
has an area of not less than 115,000
square miles. It has for its north-
ern boundary the 60th parallel, and
it extends almost to the 55th
on the south. Its eastern boundary
is almost identical with the 111th
meridian, while the Rocky Moun-
tains forms its boundary on the
west. More than one half of the
district is unexplored. The Peace,
which crosses the Rockies compar-
atively near the southwestern por-
tion of the district, flows in an ir-
regular diagonal line almost to the
northeast corner of the district
emptying into the Slave River at
the eastern boundary.

The Peace flows a distance of
nearly 900 miles with only two
breaks to navigation in the shape of
rapids. In many places the river
is a mile wide, and for a long dis-
tance it flows at a depression of
600 feet below the surface of the
surrounding prairie. It is a noble
stream.

However, these are facts which
are now generally known, but as
there are some conflicting stories
with regard to its summer and win-
ter climate it may be of interest to

make some reference to these fea-
tures.

To obtain information on this sub-
ject while I was in the far west, I
made it my business to interview
every one that I conveniently
could who had been in the Peace
River country for any appreciable
time.

Among other seen was Dan Wil-
liams, (nigger Dan) who claimed that
Rev. Mr. Gordon had in his books
credited him (Dan Williams) with
saying that the Edmonton District
was superior to the Peace. Williams
claimed that it was just the opposite.
When I questioned him closely as to
the prevalence of the "chinook" winds
in the Peace River District, he said
though they were scarcely ever felt in
the Edmonton District yet they
reappeared in the Peace River country
that is even up towards the head
waters. Butler says nothing about
chinook, and Rev. Mr. Gordon having
made his trip in summer makes no
mention of these remarkable winds,
except to allude in a general way to
the warm winds from the Pacific.
Others whom I met in Alberta and
who had wintered on the Peace refer
to "chinooks" in the latitude of
Dunvegan, though they are more
marked farther up the Peace.

The prevalence of "chinook" in
Athabasca has never been discussed
but if the statements of trappers and
miners who have wintered near the
upper stretches of the Peace may be re-
lied upon then these friendly winds
have as much influence in ameliorat-
ing the climate of southwestern Ath-
abasca as they have in southwestern
Alberta. Here there is something that
challenges the attention of Dawson and
Macoun. Are the statements made by
these explorers and miners of the
Peace true when they declare that the
"chinook" reappears in the upper
valley of the Peace? My own opinion
is that they are. The attitude of the
mountains as well as the valley in the
district is considerably less than it is
further south, for instance from fifteen
to two thousand feet less than it is in
the Bow Valley, there are a number
of exposed and unexplored passes
and I maintain that the conditions so
far as known which produce the
"chinook" phenomenon to be found
in the country near where the Peace
has its source. As to the prevalence
of summer frosts, writing of the
Dunvegan district, the Rev. Mr.
Gordon says in his book:

"On the elevated plateau, far above
the river level, the grass is so abun-
dant that horses and cattle can feed in
numbers. The horses can winter out,
and sufficient wild hay, could with no
great labour be cut for winter feeding
for a large number of cattle. Dunas
informed us that sometimes frost oc-
curred late in the spring, although pro-
teatoes are usually planted by the first
week in May. It had occurred, for
instance, on the 15th May preceding
our visit, but they scarcely have any
frost from that time until September
the river being usually open until
the beginning of December." The
concurrence of testimony with regard
to the central district of the Peace is
that the winter is shorter than they
are even in portions much farther
south, that wheat raised at Dunvegan
took a first prize at the Centennial
Exhibition; that in 1874 Professor
Macoun himself brought a small bag
of wheat from the Peace River coun-
try from a field of wheat growing
there and that it averaged 60 lbs to
the bushel, that the soil of the greater
portion of the Peace River Valley is
of great fertility and of inexhaustible
depth; that crops have been raised
at the Hudson's Bay forts there for
years; that it is a district rich in
timber and mineral wealth, that its
forests abound in valuable fur bearing
animals and that it possesses an excep-
tionally favorable climate. These are
the bare facts, and it is not surprising
to find the enterprising pushing trader,
the hardy miner, and the recon-
sidering "cow man" wisely making his
way into Southern Athabasca and
there opening out ready for the rush
when it comes.

A district so singularly gifted as the
explored portions of the District of
Athabasca are known to be, must soon
be opened up for settlement.

Next year it will be necessary to
establish a Mounted Police post on the
Peace and so give to the traders and
others living there that protection
which is necessary to encourage settle-
ment.

The Dominion Government has no
choice of districts, what it needs to
do in the form of law and order it
must give to another. Although
Athabasca has been left out in the
race for territorial representation she
will no doubt have her representation in
due time.

That the enterprising frontier trader
should be pushing into the country to
carry on his traffic on the shores of the
river whose golden sands are washed

down to the Arctic sea is significant to
the western man, for when you men-
tion Peace River to him, he knows you
mean Great Slave River and Lake,
and the mighty Mackenzie and 2,900
miles of navigation through the great
fur region of the north and still in the
Dominion of Canada.

Let the eastern provincialist pause
in reverence when he remembers that
there is still room and territory for
two or three fine provinces north of
what is now the organized district of
the northwest territory, and yet no mid-
night sun, as an American satirist has
it, but a country in which wheat may be
raised—a country of forest and prairie,
the home of the moos and the musk-ox,
and all in Canada and the great North-
west, and which is now an almost un-
broken wilderness. Nor is this fancy,
but fact, and just look at the size and
resources of these districts which are
destined sooner or later to become
provinces. Much of this newer terri-
tory is yet to be explored, and there
are good reasons for believing that as the
curtain of primeval solitude is lifted
from these vast territories, the Cana-
dian will still feel prouder than ever
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that he understands how to buy be-
cause in advertising he knows how
to sell.

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years without change, but a season-
al advertisement should be changed
as often as you can get the printer to
do it.

A heavy advertisement once is more
than quipped at in value by a small
one published for a few months after,
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GOING WEST		GOING EAST
A 9 40 LV	Winnipeg	AR A 17 10
11 45	Postage la Prairie	15 05
12 50	Calderbury	12 50
13 10	Brandon	11 35
17 07	Virden	9 42
17 46	Elkhorn	9 03
18 19	Finlayson	8 30
18 38	Moosomin	8 11
19 15	Wapella	7 35
19 45	Whitewood	7 08
20 04	Brookview	5 00
20 08	Oaksholt	4 40
20 20	Greenfield	4 20
20 38	Saumierbury	4 00
20 58	Waseley	3 38
21 17	Sussex	3 15
21 45	Indian Head	2 48
22 16	Qu'Appelle	2 17
22 40	McLean	1 55
23 04	Balcombie	1 30
23 22	Pilot Butte	1 13
23 45	Regina	24 50
24 25	Grand Coulee	24 25
24 45	Pense	24 00
1 05	Belle Plaine	23 40
1 30	Penasco	23 15
A 1 50 AR	Winnipeg	LV A 22 55
D 2 00 LV	Moore Jaw	AR C 22 45
2 40	Swift Current	17 55
11 10	Maple Creek	14 05
14 05	Medicine Hat	11 05
20 10	Gleichen	5 30
22 50	Calgary	3 00
23 10	Canmore	23 50
3 08	Banff	23 18
E 5 20 AR	Donald	DE B 17 10

GOING SOUTH	STATIONS.	GOING NORTH
A 9 55 LV	Winnipeg	AR A 17 35
12 20	Dominion City	14 50
A 12 45 AR	Emerson	LV A 14 25

GOING SOUTH	STATIONS.	GOING NORTH
A 10 30 LV	Winnipeg	AR F 9 50
G 18 30 AR	West Selkirk	LV F 7 50

GOING WEST	STATIONS.	GOING EAST
G 10 00 LV	Winnipeg	AR G 15 00
10 50	Stony Mountain	14 00
G 11 15 AR	Stonewall	LV G 13 30

GOING S W	STATIONS.	GOING N E
F 11 00 LV	Winnipeg	AR G 15 15
12 00	Headingley	14 20
14 10	End of Spur	12 15
17 45	Treherne	8 45
F 18 30 AR	Holland	LV G 8 00

GOING S W	STATIONS.	GOING N E
F 9 30 LV	Winnipeg	AR H 15 35
11 32	Morris	14 20
12 10	Rosendell	13 40
13 05	Swift Current	13 30
13 20	Morden	12 00
15 00	Manitow	11 00
15 05	AR	10 55
16 25	Pilot Mount	9 35
16 40	Crystal Gey	9 20
17 30	Cartwright	8 50
18 30	Killarney	7 30
19 30	AR	6 30

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Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. G,
Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.
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HOME & GOSSIP.

QU'APPELLE.

—The municipal council meets on Saturday next.

—Mr. Jas. H. Benson, of Regina was in town yesterday.

—Qu'Appelle Lodge of Free Masons meets on Tuesday the 7th instant.

—Tenders are asked for the erection of a bridge over the Qu'Appelle river at Katcpwa.

—Dr. Collinge and Mr. A. W. R. Joyner, of Fort Qu'Appelle, were in town yesterday.

—The first subscriber who paid his dollar for THE PROGRESS is also the first to renew for the next year.

—Mr. A. C. Paterson, forwarder, shipped a car load of furniture from the C. P. R. station to Prince Albert last week.

—The agricultural students of St. John's College will give a ball in the Immigrant building on Tuesday evening next.

—Rev. A. Andrews will preach on Sunday morning next at 10:30 o'clock, after which the sacrament of the Lord's supper will be administered.

—Threshing has been progressing actively in this vicinity of late, and the result is disappointing to the farmers. The sample is good but the yield is very small.

—At the band meeting on Monday evening the committee was ordered to collect the subscriptions and purchase the instruments. And now we will soon have a full fledged brass band.

—A Bible class is held in connection with the Methodist Sunday School every Sunday afternoon at 14:30 o'clock. Mrs. A. Andrews, wife of the pastor, has consented to lead the class in its Biblical studies.

—For Sale at a bargain: 1 Span Matched Ponies, 1 one year old Pony, 1 Set Double Harness, 1 Wagon, 1 Light Spring Wagon, 1 Set Single Harness and 1 Mule cow. Apply at once to G. S. Davidson.

—At Indian Head on Wednesday evening of last week five head of cattle, a pony and buckboard, were stolen from C. H. Tonkins, of Pleasant Forks, north of Wolsley. The robbery is supposed to have been done by half-breeds from the Qu'Appelle Valley. The Mounted Police are after them.

—About 800 yards of filling will be let by auction to the lowest bidder for the construction of approach to a bridge across Squid Creek, on Seventh Avenue, between Ruskin and Albany Streets, Sec. 21 T. 18, R. 14, (Town of Qu'Appelle) on Friday, 3rd inst., at 14 o'clock. The work to be let subject to a contract which will be made known at the time.

—At the Queen's: Alfred Burrows, Hawk Lake; Rolt A. Jennings, G. S. Henderson, Chas. Howson, Regina; Wm. Grant, Assiniboine Reserve; D. H. McMillan, J. W. Hardy, Winnipeg; B. Johnson, Toronto; Geo. Beattie, Round Plain; Jas. Beattie, Feigus; Chas. I. Ross, Belleville, Ont.; A. J. Stewart, W. Isbister, Prince Albert; D. W. Buchanan, Winnipeg.

—At the Leland: J. F. Kennedy, T. E. Gray, Prince Albert; Jas. H. Benson, Chas. Howson, Regina; W. J. Fenech, Portage la Prairie; Jno. Cummings, C. C. McIntyre, L. C. McIntyre, G. W. Hudson, H. Bell, W. M. Ronald, J. J. Fanning, Winnipeg; M. W. McKenzie, Jno. Calver, C. F. Church, Fort Qu'Appelle; W. F. Gaudin and family, Athabasca.

—The Medicine Hat Times says: "Some time ago we mentioned the discovery of a trail made by a herd of buffalo. An Indian came across them last week and slaughtered four—two bulls and two cows. There were eighteen in the herd. The buffalo, in his wild state, is nearly extinct and provision should be made for the protection of the remaining few of that once numerous race of animals." This is perhaps the band that was seen near Grenfell last year.

UNRECOGNIZED SERVICES.

Gilbert McConnell, of Qu'Appelle, N. W. T. one of General Middleton's transport officers during the North-West rebellion, is in town, and a guest of his brother, Dr. J. E. McConnell. He says the Government have not distributed any medals, or land warrants to the transport service, nor have they made any provision for doing so. He said, however, that he thinks the Government would do so if they properly understood the importance of this service, and he remarked with pride that the General stated in his report that unless the transport service had been faithfully performed he would have been unable to so speedily terminate the rebellion. The transport officers felt that their services deserve recognition as much as do those of some of the militia who were not near the front. Mr. McConnell added that his brother, another transport officer who was captured by the rebels while engaged in the attempt to carry a message from General Middleton into Prince Albert, and imprisoned in the historic cellar at Batoche until the capture of that place, has received no recognition of his services although the confinement nearly cost him his life. Mr. McConnell himself, as well as other officers used to carry important messages and for escorting purposes, and as they had thus to expose their lives, they are anxious for some lasting recognition and expect to obtain it when the matter has been properly represented to the Government.

Mr. McConnell states that numbers of disputed transport claim, have not yet been paid by the Government, but final settlements all around are expected shortly.—Montreal Star.

ELLISBORO.

Great efforts are being made by the settlers in this district to build themselves a church. Services have been held in the Hall for the space of rather more than a year by the Rev. J. W. Gregory, one of the Church of England Union Clergy of the Diocese. The work was taken up when all were cheerful as to the results of the harvest, and already over \$100 have been collected. Having put our hands to the work we are not going to draw back and those who cannot now give money will give work. By this means we hope that the money, given in many cases at real personal sacrifice will not have to be idle for a year. One hundred and fifty dollars more is still required, but as many friends in England and Eastern Canada are working lovingly and earnestly with us, our hopes are strong that we shall see this sum raised by the end of October. The Rev. J. W. Gregory will be glad to take charge of any offering for this work, or Mr. Sharp, churchwarden, Ellisboro, Assin., N. W. T.

BROADVIEW.

The first of the Broadview Stock and Produce Fairs will be held on Saturday, 4th inst., and will afford an excellent opportunity for farmers, cattle dealers, butchers and others, desirous of buying or selling any kind of stock or farm produce. Many of the farmers of the district have signified their intention of bringing in their surplus stock for that day. A large building will be at the disposal of those wishing to display produce that requires shelter from the weather. Parties from the west may reach Broadview by the C. P. R. at 6 o'clock on the morning of the fair, and leave at 20:40 the same evening. Parties from the east may reach Broadview at 20:20 on the evening preceding the fair, and leave at 6:20 the following morning. Andrew Tullock, Joe Clementson, A. G. Thorburn, Committee.

Calgary, Aug. 20.—A coroner's inquest was held last evening on the body of Clunker Scott, who was found shot at the Twin Buttes. The deceased was evidently preparing supper, for dough was over his hands, and there was bread in the oven, and coffee, etc. on the stove. His money belt, in which he usually carried a large sum, was empty at his feet. The real name of Scott, was A. Kruger, of Indiana. He was the son of Herman Kruger, and was married about three months ago. A verdict of murder by some party or parties unknown was rendered. The neighbors heard the shot or shots on evening.

Maple Creek is to have an Episcopal church erected there.

A cache of 25 gallons of whiskey was discovered in the bushes on the bottom not far from the saw-mill at Lethbridge recently, by some policemen, who had been in bathing. Word was immediately sent up to Capt. Sanders, who sent down a squad of men to bring it up. Two men, Jeff Talbot and Owen Gagon, were arrested while trying to get away with it, and it is supposed they are the owners.

The price of wheat appears to be constantly tumbling. In Chicago it is down to 76 cents, having fallen three or four cents in as many days. There is a great deal of uncertainty prevailing, so much so that the dealers here are very much inclined to hold off. Such lots as have been sold have brought from fifty to sixty cents per bushel, a very low figure, but yet upon the whole better than a frosted article would bring.—Winnipeg Sun.

THE PROVERBIAL BAD BOY.

In behalf of that much-abused "bad boy," I am constrained to take up the pen in defence. In the first place, he isn't half so black as he is painted. I am well aware of the fact, as a rule, he isn't a favorite of susceptible ladies of a questionable age, who either—oh pretend to—anything in the shape of manly breaches. To such, the bad boy is a terror, and he knows it; if he didn't, he'd come to make himself so overlastingly odious in their estimation.

Let the bad boy know to a surety that you dislike him, and you open up a channel of tribulation that is productive of much disaster, especially if you own an orchard, a gate that can be lifted from the hinges, or a dog with a tail long enough to tie a can to.

There is much truth in the old adage—"You can catch more flies with molasses than you can with vinegar." The proverbial "bad boy" is just like one of these self-same flies.

Give him a dose of molasses and you win him for life; but one drop of vinegar, and he is your relentless foe. As a true and devoted friend the "bad boy" is a success. In his ever working brain are schemes which will cause your hair to rise in horror; and at the same time are pondered acts of kindness which are capable of turning your heart to the very core.

Some one says that the bad boy has too much rope. If he has you are to blame. You give him the wrong sort of rope. It is full of hard, son, congealed, vindictive knots. If you had given him rope of a different material there would have been no danger of his dropping suddenly from the end of it.

I am acquainted with one of the sweetest dispositioned boys in the world. He is bright, and a perfect little gentleman when you treat him as a human being should be. He will go a mile out of the way to assist a cripple over the fence; he will go as far to fasten a can to Brown's dog's tail. Brown has cartloads of apples; he'd rather see them rot on the ground than give one to the "bad boy." He wouldn't give a boy an apple for anything. Oh, no; not he. He hates boys; they're a nuisance, he says. The result is his dog chases his nose occasionally to relieve himself of the disagreeable, rattling tin can fastened to his tail.

There is a poor old lady who lives all alone in a cottage across the road from the "bad boy's" home. That boy never goes to school without dropping in to see if the old lady has plenty of wood in her box. Call him a bad boy in her presence and she will quickly tell you that the world would be better with lots more just such bad boys in it.

I am no admirer of that personification of the goody-goody boy who never did a bad thing in all his life. He isn't a boy; he's only a little machine wound up to go for, say, ten, twenty years. Then, when for the first time he is really tempted, the eggs refuse to move and the wheels no longer revolve with their wonted smoothness; a bolt drops out—and he falls. When the goody-goody boy falls it is a long, long fall, and it takes years to recover his lost prestige. I detest and hate that evil minded boy who has never a sign of redeeming quality about him. He helps fill the prisons early in life; yet there may be extraordinary circumstances surrounding his case, let those who bear him near kinship begin to practice mercy or else—prison here, rope, scaffold! But the proverbial "bad boy," the boy of relishing laugh, teasing cheeks, the boy who will help the poor old woman over the gutter, then hasten away to attach a tick tack to some Miss Snodgrass's window, is a person I've always loved. This sort of a boy makes things lively while he is growing; but grown up—what a model!—H. S. Keller in Utica Press.



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